

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Attorney Docket No. 2006\_0165A  
Takemori TAKAYAMA ET AL. : **Confirmation No. 1859**  
Serial No. 10/570,045 : Group Art Unit 3679  
Filed March 1, 2006 : Examiner Victor L. MacArthur  
SINTERED SLIDING MATERIAL, SLIDING MEMBER, CONNECTING DEVICE AND DEVICE USING THE SLIDING MEMBER : **Mail Stop: AF**

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a three month extension of time to respond to the communication of September 10, 2010.

The fee of \$1,110.00 is

to be charged to Credit Card.

Respectfully submitted,

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